

AARON JAMES SANDERS,	)	No. C 09-02257 JW (PR)
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Petitioner,	)	ORDER OF TRANSFER
	)	
vs.	)	
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	)	
SUPERIOR COURT COUNTY OF	)	
SACRAMENTO,	)	
	)	
Respondent.	)	


Venue for a habeas action is proper in either the district of confinement or the district of conviction, 28 U.S.C. § 2241(d). However, Federal courts in California traditionally have chosen to hear petitions challenging a conviction or sentence in the district of conviction. See Dannenberg v. Ingle, 831 F. Supp. 767, 767 (N.D. Cal. 1993); Laue v. Nelson, 279 F. Supp. 265, 266 (N.D. Cal. 1968). The petition indicates that petitioner was convicted in Sacramento County which lies within the venue of the Eastern District of California. See 28 U.S.C. 84(b).

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1 States District Court for the Eastern District of California. See 28 U.S.C. §§  
2 1404(a), 2241(d); Habeas L.R. 2254-3. In light of this transfer, the Court will defer  
3 to the Eastern District with respect to petitioner's motion for leave to proceed in  
4 forma pauperis, (Docket No. 4).

5 The clerk shall transfer this matter and terminate any pending motions.

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7 DATED: August 13, 2009

  
8 JAMES WARE  
United States District Judge

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**CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE**

I, the undersigned, hereby certify that I am an employee in the Office of the Clerk, U.S. District Court, Northern District of California.

That on August 13, 2009, I SERVED a true and correct copy(ies) of the attached, by placing said copy(ies) in a postage paid envelope addressed to the person(s) hereinafter listed, by depositing said envelope in the U.S. Mail, or by placing said copy(ies) into an inter-office delivery receptacle located in the Clerk's office.

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Dated: August 13, 2009

Richard W. Wieking, Clerk  
/s/By: Elizabeth Garcia, Deputy Clerk